

California Medical and Health Disaster Management Conferences

Covering California:

An All-Hazards Approach to Managing Emergencies

These one-day conferences will provide information and hands-on tips for healthcare providers to manage and respond to natural and man-made disasters using an "all-hazards" approach.

September 30 in Oakland, CA October 7 in Commerce, CA October 9 in Temecula, CA

Conference **registration** available online after July 1, 2003, at www.creativeeventsolutions.net/disaster.

Statewide Medical and Health Disaster Exercise

This year's scenario will involve the issues and challenges facing healthcare providers during a **biological terrorism event**. This exercise will pose unique planning issues to address at the participant and local levels and provide an alternate shift with an exercise.

November 13, 2003 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM

The Exercise Guidebook will be available online at www.emsa.ca.gov after July 15, 2003.



The Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) is coordinating these activities. Cosponsors for the conferences at this time include: The California Department of Health Services, the Governor's Office of Emergency Services, the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development, the California Healthcare Association of Southern California, Kaiser Permanente, the Los Angeles County Medical Association, the Los Angeles County Department of Health Services and the local EMS agency.